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No other way of getting on, -But scrambling to obtain it? Oh, fellow-men, hear wisdom, then, In friendly warning call-"Your claims divide, the world is wide-

There's room enough for all !" What if the swarthy peasant find No fields for honest labor, He need not idly stop behind, To thrust aside his neighbor. Toere is a land with sunny skies, Which gold for toil is giving, Where every brawny hand that tries Its strength can grasp a living. Oh, fellow-men, remember, then, Whatever chance befall, The world is wide-where those abide, 'There's room enough for all!

From poisoned air ye breathe in courts, And typhus tainted alleys, Go forth and dwell where health resorts, In fertile hills and valleys, Where every arm that clears a bough Finds plenty in attendance. And every furrow of the plough A step to independence, Oh, hasten, then, from fevered den, And looking eramped and small; The world is wide-in land beside There's room enough for all!

In this fair region far away, Will labor find employment-A fair day's work, a fair day's pay, And toil will earn enjoyment. What need, then, of this daily strife, Where each wars with his brother? Why need we, through the crowd of life, Keep trampling down each other? From rags and crime that distant clime Will free the pauper's thrall; Take fortune's tide-the world so wide Has room enough for all!

The Fate of the " Foreign Legione"

BY H. G. CHIPMAN.

The morning of the 14th of September, oroke clear and calm over the dark and frown ing buttlements of the Castle of Chapultepec-The flag of the Mexicans streamed proudly rays and deep monthed cannon buomed out the battlement. upon the surrounding country, threatening u" this" or the New Orleans death and destruction to the advancing foc .- of the Colonel; and the next moment thirty hu- Order, order. batteries of the castle, a stream of flame and smoke shot forth, and all along that lengthen- righly deserved their fate. ed line, the missiles of terror and death went Such, reader, was the fate of the 'Foreign hand in hand, cutting down the noble and Legion." brave, the good and generous, and strawing a give particular attention to all in one mingled heap of gore and blood. ziving and forwarding cotton, War, with all its blasting and desolating elfects, was carrying grief and misery into me-name that requires no preface) has been so- were in attendance, various subjects of vita fundance, and a general assort brother, in terrible and bloody havee, and Princess. When the Princess stopped at Bat- mong them was the subject of the Planters of

But while this was transacting around Cha- marked, "Mr. Clay, that is Gen. Taylor. pultepec another and still more terrible scene, was passing in the little town of Miscoux, some and pleasure, in his countenance, and immehalf a mile distant from Tacubaya. At the distely leaving his dinner, walked into the sobattle of Churubusco, the descriers under Ri- cial hall, and with that frankness and carnestley had been captured, and after an importial ness characteristic of him, extended his hand - Organizer. trial sentenced to be hung. They were known to the General, who grasped it very warmly and by the title of the Foreign Legion, and were with a comfortable shave, at made up of men who had deserted from the ranks of the Americans and joined the force Clay, ayou have grown out of my recolleccomes and Danssing done in of the enemy. The day set for their execution tion!"

"You was the 14th of September - and it also hap-assign of every reasonable per-pened that the attack upon Chapultepec took

place the same day. with his purple rays, as they were led forth to bright and benevolent eyes. die. Thirty in number, and surrounded by a strong body of men, they advanced with to me by Eichelstein & Co. drum sending forth its solemn death notes, and T.C. Tupper, Esq., will be place to the whole the appearance of a mili-They were arranged under the gallows, which was one erected for the purpose-being nothies of thirty men. Beneath it the prisoners

own countrymen. The usual dark brow of much greater importance in his previous histo-Col. II - y, who superintended the exesockets as he galloped up to the spot, and reined in his smoking charger beside

'Is all ready, Lieutenant?' he asked of an officer who commanded the guard. *Every thing, replied the officer.

The Lieutenant turned and advanced toward the prisoners, when suddenly the eye of the Colonel fell upon the castle, and the deadly roar of the artillery reached his ear.

'Lieutenant,' he suddenly exclaimed with startling energy in his voice.

'A ye, sir,' replied the officer, returning . 'Have every thing ready, but don't draw them up until the American flag waves out from the flag-staff of Chapultepec castle." Aye, sir, it shall be done, and the Lieuten-

ant returned to the gallows. "If we aint hung until the castle is taken by the Americans, we shall live a good long life yet," suddenly exclaimed one of the pris-

oners, under the beam. 'Then live you shall, for till the Star Spangled Banner waves in victory over your castle, you shall not die, replied Col H-

sternly. 'Hurrah! boys; we'll live a long life yet. Old Brave's the man to stick to the castle as long as there's a shot in the locker, or a man to order you, sir, I command you, sir, in the name stand by him,' replied the fellow, with a of the people, to stop, to some down from that shout.

sity upon the heighth-and galling was the ag- villian!" He then turned to the clerks' desk, ony of suspense which they endured between and threateningly commanded them to make the moments which elapsed during the terri- no entry of the Speaker's declarations. ble contest which was going on around the castle hill. Suddenly the flag of the Mexi-

"And there goes the flag back again; go it the Mexican flag rose to the top of the staff, excited passion . and waved to the breeze.

A muttered ejaculation escaped the lies of the Colonel, and each one again fixed his eyes upon the scene. The contest raged on ers, the officer commanded that with unabated vigor, and in a few moments the brow of the hill was hidden from sight by the dark cloud of smake which lrung thick around it. A half hour passed, and as a strong wind The Senators then left the Hall.

swept down the plain and lifted the smoke gorgeousness to the gentle breeze which swept disappeared from the staff. A moment of these disorderly Senators. along the plain. Shining buyonets and glisten- deep anxiety followed, and the American ban- Speaker. The House will come to order. ing sabres reflected back the sun's bright our was up the staff and floated proudly over Mr. Monfort, (flourishing his cane over the

'Up with them,' thundered the deep voice On they came, filing out column after col- man beings were swinging in the last agonies mmn, from the auburbs of the little village of of death from the gallows, and as they poivered Tacubaya, and sweeping like a tornado upon in the rising sun-beams which glanced along the order being for a moment restored, a motion the devoted ramparts. Suddenly, from the plain, no looks of sympathy fell upon their for a recess was make and carried, and detested features, for all

breathing out life's last sigh amid the roar of panied by Gen. Taylor. As the General pass- discussed. Two gentlemen in the Associa-

"Is it?" ejacolated Mr. Clay with surprise shook it very energetically ;

"Why General," pleasantly remarked Mr-

"You can never grow out of mine," was the

'I thank you Mr. Clay, but I am not President vet and-

Means. Brander, Williams.

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Means. Brander, William them, when they took up arms against their be reconciled with many similar events of one .- N. F. Courier.

The great orator and stateman arrived in his deep gray eyes twinkled savagely in their our city yesterday. He has grown thinner, but village in the good State of Tennessee, an ecapparently no older than when, more than a dentric fellow, who rejuiced in the name of spear ago, he participated with the citizens in Peter Irard; for many years he filled the imcelebrating the brillant victories of our arms portant office known in various parts of the in Mexico. We trust he may be warmly re. Union as Magistrate, Alderman, or Justice of ceived by the people. In times past, when he the Peace. The following is a sample of the duty of the Representative, to about the inseemed the fixed choice of a large portion of Squire Izard's mode of proceeding. 'Then let them swing,' was the savage re- the people for the Presidency, the name of his "A gentleman by the name of McMurran claim to popular esteem rest upon his disting- whose name Enos Bildo, charged the cool sun miration cooled .-- NO Della.

A SCENE IN THE OHIO LEGISLATURE

The Ohio State Journal give the following bar. report of a scene that occurred in the Ohio Legislature at the time the Speaker announced presence of the Squire, and the charges statedt that Ford was elected Governor:

While this annoucement was being made which was done in the midst of a tremendous tumult on the left side of the Hall.

Mr. Aarchbeld, shaking his fist, his head and his body at the Speaker, was proclaiming at the top of his vicer "You're a perjured scoundrel-a scoundrel, sich

Mr. Whiteman, advancing towards the Speaker's seat, and shaking his fist at that officer .-"Mr. Speaker, Mr. Speaker, MR. SPEAKER, 1 desk! You have violated your onth, sir; you All eyes were now fixed with a deep inten- are a misearable coward! You're a purjured

It is impossible to describe the excitement and confusion in which the whole of the procans went down amid the strife, and the Col. ceedings were transacted. The left side of the don't contradict me-like a perfect fool; and house on their feet, and aiding in the uproar, let this be a warning, sir, never to trust such a "There goes the enemy's banner, the castle is and the gestures, attitudes, exclamations and ejaculatious of the parties, made a picture than you can sling a bull by the tail. Sir, which can only be conveyed by the skillful old Bravo, shouted another of the Legion, as painter of men under the influence of the most You'd steal the coppers off your dead mother's

During this scene, and while Messers. Whitman, Asrchbold and other Senators were harling their anathemas and oaths at the Speak-The Convention had accomplished the pur

pose for which it was convened, the Senators vill now retire to their chamber.

Mr. Mott. I move the Speaker call the out from the ramparts, and waved in all its from off the height, the enemy's flag had again House to order, now that we have got rid of

Clerket deaks) Order, hell order hell!

Speaker, rapping violently upon his desk

Mr. Monfort. Order HELL! The Speaker continued crying order, until

THE PLANTERS' ASSOCIATION .- The Planters' Association of Lafayette county, Miss., according to previous appointment, assembled at Meeting of Mr. Clay and Gen. Taylor. | Hurricane Camp Ground, in this county, on Our readers are aware that Henry Clay, (a the 3d inst. A respectable number of Planters ny a heretofore happy family, and striking journing in Natchez some days past .- He ar- importance to the farming community were consigning them to one common and sorrow- on Rouge, the passengers, among whom was this county purchasing two or more steamboats ing grave. While the faces of the wife and Mr. Clay, were all sitting at dinner. It hap- to ply upon the Tallabatchie river, to be con- Sunday, Doctor. If we remember aright the sister at home were perhaps, wreathed in smiles. pened that Gen. Brooks and Col. Taylor were staucted for the purpose of carrying off the text was, 'It jis easier for a camel to pass ment. that of the husband and brother was writing coming down to the city, and concluding to produce of the country. Also the subject of in the agony of death upon a foreign soil, and take the Princess, they came about, accom- erecting manufactories in this county was ably eannon and the rarrie of muskets. The scenes ed by the dinner table, he recognized Mr. Clay tion offered to take stock to the amount of of that fearful and fatal mora will never be and bowed to him; but Mr Clay not appearing \$10,000 each, in the erection of a manufactory to recognize him, a gentleman at the table re- in this county, one gentleman who is now absent we learn, has it in contemplation to commence the work on his return and will himself advance \$30,000.

We are much gratified to see our planters becoming awakened to this important subject.

> Affairs at the Capital: WASHINGTON, Jun. 6, 1849.

The apprahensions which I expressed in a recent letter, concerning the confirmation of Mr. Cass as Charge d'Affaires to Rome, were pened that the attack upon Chapultepec took ready response of the General, whose counter worified by the action of the Sanato yesterday, nance beamed with warm regard, and whose and by the causes which I had indicated as Here Mr. Clay perceiving that the General's Webster, Greene, Hamlin, Jefferson Davis, and modesty was about to get the better of him, Mr. Hanaegan. The last two paired off, Mr. concurrency. ing more than two large posts set firmly in the broke in with some playful remark, which led Davis being adverse, and Mr. Hannegan for the ground, across the top of which was placed to a general and most agreeable conversation able to the nomination. Of the eight above. for The captain of the Princess, not wishing to firmation, and one in favor of it; consequently, interrupt so pleasant a reunion of two old had the Senate been full, there wealth have nacks—the other end of the rope being thrown friends, detained the boat for some time. Fi- been 3 votes for rejection, and 29 for appearing the territories of California and over the pole, was grasped by three or four nally, however, the General and Mr. Clay par al. Mr. Cass is solely indebted to the position New Mexico, to in any other territory, whilst stout men, ready at a [moment's warning to ted, with expressions of mutual esteem, and a of his father, and to the influence of the ad. the common property of the confederacy.

The Tennessee Squire OF THE OTHER T MES

There flour shed for many years in a certain

friends in this city was legion. We trust for was riding through C-, where his horse the credit of our people, that now, when his lost a shoe. For replacing it, the blacksmith, uished public services, his great talents, and of an eagle-or rather two sovereigns. Natuhis warm patriotism, the number of his friends rally indignant, our traveller refused to pay will not be reduced, nor the arder of their ad- such an exerbitant demand, and he was arres ted at the suit of the son of Vulcan. There being no other resource, Mr. McMurran, was escorted to the Magistrate's office, back of the

A fter being introduced into the most augus the following dialogue occurred.

"Well, sir, what is your name?" "McMurran, sir,"

"Humph, McMurran, no other name?" "John McMurean, sir,"

"No other Mr. Butran-no alias?", "Of course I have not, air-I have no nee of one."

"Where do you live, Mr. Carrion?"

"My name ain't Carrion-I told you it w eMurran . 17 "Well, Mr. Morton, did you make any bargain for shoeing your horse?"

"No sir." "Then, Mr. Burton, you acted, sir, excuse me-like a fool,"

141 don't come here to be insulted, sir, and o man shall so talk to use," cried poor Mac.

"I know you did not Mr. Fulton-keep silence, sir, or I'll fine you .- You acted, sirscoundrel as Enes Bildo (the smith) further [to the plaintiff,]-I mean yon-you skunk. eyes, you poor no souled hog. The sentence of this court is, that you, Enos Bildo, shall have two dimes for your work, which is all it's worth, and if you say another word, I'll knock you down. Clar this court.'

Fully satisfied with this verdiet, and highly amused with his adventure, Muc went on his

The Gold Fever in New York " How is your health?" said we to a bilious looking friend that we met, after missing him

for some time. " I'wenty-three carats fine."

"Your health?" said we again. " Worth sixteen dollars an ornee."

We said nothing more, and left him, perfectthe " Californy fever."

" Whats the price of United States stock !" said we to a celebrated Wall atreet broker we ander its own law. jostled against a moment after.

"Thirteen pounds of pure gold

" New York sixes?"

se Perfectly inexhaustible, and more mine discovered."

We trembled for the few shares we possess- power of the Union, ed, and passed on. Presently we came across a famous divine, who preached every Sunday power to establish martial law, and to author-Becon, Lard, Sugar cured down the father and husband, the son and rived in this city yesterday, in the steamboat discussed at length before the association, a- against the greedy thirst for gold and mam- ize the acts to be done, complained of as a "That was a noble discourse of yours last

> through the eye of a needle, than for a righ man to enter into the kingdom ofGod ?1 11

> " Establish a mint, sir-establish a mint-I've already sent out two sons and four nuphews: and we're to share and share alike!" " The text, Doctor-the text."

Is That be-thundered! The standard value of doubloos is sixteen dollars. A doubloon is an ounce. Thirteen pounds of gold

make" --We did not wait to hear the divine's answer, nor was it necessary; he had got the v/ t-LER fever .- Sunday Times.

How the Natural Allies act. Gov. Whitcomb. democrat was recently elected by the democratic Legislature of Indiana, Senator of the United States, in place of Mr. Hannegan, also a democrat. A brief history The sun lad just rison, and tinged the East good-natured wrinkles, almost obscured his bright and benevolent eyes.

The firty in number, and surrounded by

"I congratulate you, General, upon your propriety of the appointment, and the incomelection to the Presidency; and I hope your adslow steps towards the gallows, the muffled ministration may be as successful and glorious side and opposed on the other, the power of as your military career, remarked Mr. Clay. party grevailed, and he was confirmed by 28 opponent, Whitcomb, gave the required pledgayes to 24 noce. There were eight absentees, es without hesitation. He was elected. The viz.: Calboun, Reverdy Johnson, Mangum, action of the Indiana democrats shows plainly what sort of "allies they would be in time of

Here is an extract from Mr. Hannegan's let-

se. ground, across the top of which was placed to a general and most agreeable consensation.

St a pole of authorist length to admit the body between the two distinguished gentlamen.

ministration, together with the fortunate ab. In reply to your second interrogatory, mere launch them into stornity. A gloomy allence hope that they might seen meet again. In reply to your second interrogatory, mere vember full of valuable admonition, on the pervaded the spot, and as they gazed upon the We are not informed whether Mr. Clay re- sense of the Senators named, for the distinction large, I feel equally free to say that it involves vanily of human hopes and the ups and cowas group, collected there, they found no sympathiring glance in the scowling faces and glarrupted by the appearance of Gen. Taylor- but

Thursday, when this case was under consider. Eress has not the power to increduce, or rath-

discover the source from which it is drawn. Upon all questions of this character, I have exor held my final action open and liable to the

In making the pledge you require, I should might leave me the subject of an awkward, dilama. It might bring me directly in conflict with structions of his constituency; a duty which I have ever held as a cardinal point of political faith. These instructions to be binding, mustbe given by a majority: Upon the subject involved, in all its bearings, should I be elected Senator for the ensuing term, I shall be governad by the instructions of the Legislature of Indiana, whose will it will be my pleasure to carry out in carnestness and good faith."

Gov. Whiteomb's replies are brief and to the point. He says:

It is incontrovertible that slavery there or elsewhere cannot exist without the sanction of law. I further believe that Congress can constitutionally pass such an organic law as will in their operation, prevent the passage of any such law by the government of the territory. It follows then, that Congress can, in my judgment, constitutionally prevent the introduction of slavery into these territories.

In relation to your second question, I will add that, still viewing slavery as I did nearly twenty years ago. in a report made in the Legislature of our State, as a grawback upon any country, I would, if a member, use my influence and vote, for a passage of a law of the kind referred to-that is to say, a law which will operate to even tually prevent the introduction of slavery into these territories."

The Legislative comments on the two texts given, are to be found in the vote for U. S. Senator at the election which took place on the 14th ult. The vote was as follows: 74 | Smith, (whig) 15 | Marshall, Whitcomb

2 | Blank, Supreme Court-Congress. The following is from the Washington corespondent of the New York Courier!

Washington, Jan. 3d, 1849. Dorrism has at length received its quietue, end in a form, from which it can never hope to recover. Chief Justice Taney, delivered the opinion of the Supreme Court to-day, upon the case of Martin Luther, vs. L. M. Borden, et al. on a writ of error from Rhode Island. The following points were ruled.

1. That whether the new government at any time displaced the Charter government, is a political question and not a judicial one.

2. That the Charter government having at no time r cognized the new government, but denounced it as revolutionary and trassonable : and not only opposed it by military force, but prosecuted and convicted Gov. Dorr, the leader of the movement, under the criminal law of the State-in which case, and in others, the charter government was sustained by the ly well convinced that he was troubled with Cours of Rhode Island, and that the federal courts, under an established rule of decision, follow the State tribunal on questions arising

> 3. That the recognition of the chartered government by the President of the United States, in expressing a willingness to aid it, if necessary, in putting down the insurrection, by the power of the Union as provided by the constitution, is of itself, conclusive on the judicial

4. That the Legislature of Rhode Island had trespass by the plaintiff,

6. The judgment of the circuit court was affirmed, which sustains the chartered govern-

The opinion was able, clear and conclusive and received the entire concurrence of the court, with the exception of Judge Woodbury who dissented to the fourth point, and maintained that the State had no power to declare martial law, This doctrine seemed to come with a bad grace from one who has been a professed stickler for state sovereignty, and who has followed the Southron school of constructionists, to the ultima thule of their mad metaphysics. But the disagreement on this point may be pardoned, in consideration of its whole tendency being rather political than judicial, for Judge Woodbury has not yet relinquished his presidential aspirations.

We doubt whether any people on earth are so happy at their work as the French. Even the most monial offices are performed with a cheerfulness as pleasant as it is remarkable. A friend mentions to us, that hearing one morning's good deal of laughing, and froncking in the hall of the Parisian Inn where he lodged, he opened his door and looked out to ascen tain the cause. The servants, male and female together, were washing the tensilated pavement of the hall, with brushes atrapped to their feet like skates. There they were full of glee, dancing upon a sustane of soup and water, setting to, balancing, posturing and chameeings turning to mirth all things on earth, as only Frenchmen can.

Gen. Cata's Lie rones.-General Cass is until to be amusing himself with delivering leetutes to his fellow estizens, and the Savannali Republican thinks this to be no more than fair. They gave him a lecture on the 7th No-

fowa Sunarun .- A. C. Dodge has been